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In re Application of: Michael D. Zoeckler

**OFFICIAL**

Serial No.: 09/559,704

Filing Date: 04/27/2000

For: Paperboard Cartons with Laminated Reinforcing Ribbons and Method of Making Same

Attached in connection with the above-identified patent application are the following:

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|                                                                                         | First Named Inventor | Michael D. Zoeckler    |                  |
|                                                                                         | Art Unit             | 3721                   |                  |
|                                                                                         | Examiner Name        | Harmon, Christopher R. |                  |
| Total Number of Pages in This Submission                                                | 3                    | Attorney Docket Number | R029 1056 (7137) |

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MICHAEL ZOECKLER ) Docket No.: R029 1056 (7137)  
Serial No.: 09/559,704 ) Art Unit: 3721  
Filed: April 27, 2000 ) Examiner: Harmon, Christopher  
For: PAPERBOARD CARTONS WITH )  
LAMINATED REINFORCING RIBBONS )  
AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME )

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO  
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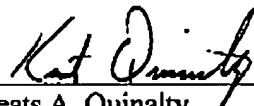
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Respectfully submitted,

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**FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
**For FY 2006**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) **0.00****Complete if Known**

Application Number **09/559,704**  
 Filing Date **04/27/2000**  
 First Named Inventor **Michael Zoeckler**  
 Examiner Name **Harmon, Christopher R.**  
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| Application Type | FILING FEES |                       | SEARCH FEES |                       | EXAMINATION FEES |                       | Fees Paid (\$) |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
|                  | Fee (\$)    | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$)    | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$)         | Small Entity Fee (\$) |                |
| Utility          | 300         | 150                   | 500         | 250                   | 200              | 100                   |                |
| Design           | 200         | 100                   | 100         | 50                    | 130              | 65                    |                |
| Plant            | 200         | 100                   | 300         | 150                   | 160              | 80                    |                |
| Reissue          | 300         | 150                   | 500         | 250                   | 600              | 300                   |                |
| Provisional      | 200         | 100                   | 0           | 0                     | 0                | 0                     |                |

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

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 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)  
 Multiple dependent claims

| Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
|----------|-----------------------|
| 50       | 25                    |
| 200      | 100                   |
| 360      | 180                   |

**Total Claims** **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**

- 20 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

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**Indep. Claims** **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**

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